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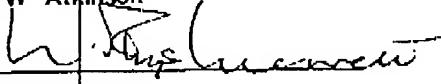
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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of  
this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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At page 2, please delete paragraph [0001] and insert the following replacement paragraph:

[00011] This application is a continuation of co-pending U.S. application Serial No. 10/224,147, filed August 2, 2002, now U.S. Patent No. 6,609,211, which is a continuation of co-pending U.S. application Serial No. 09/818,981, filed March 27, 2001, now U.S. Patent 6,438,697, which is a continuation U.S. application Serial No. 09/480,101, filed January 10, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,233,671, which is a continuation U.S. application Serial No. 08/166,609, filed December 13, 1993, now U.S. Patent No. 6,029,249, which is a continuation of U.S. application Serial No. 08/473,655, filed June 7, 1995, now U.S. Patent No. 5,625,826, which is a file wrapper continuation of U.S. application Serial No. 07/809,301, filed December 17, 1991, now abandoned, which are incorporated herein for-by reference.

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